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VESSELS IN STEEL OR WOOD, STEAM OR MOTOR DRIVEN, TUGS, BARGE, STEAM OR OIL LIGHTERS, LAUNCHES, MOTOR YACHTS AND HOUSEBOATS.

ROOFS, BRIDGES, STEEL BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION WORK. SMART-STEAM LAUNCH FOR SALE OR HIRE.

## BAZAAR IN AID OF THE FLOOD RELIEF FUND.

The Committee respectfully beg to acknowledge with sincere thanks (following further promises of gifts and services in aid of the bazaar:—  
Messrs. Wondt and Co.—25 dozens singlets.  
Messrs. Nelson and Co.—Five cases "Bird" Brand beer and 25 dozens "Duck" Brand soap.  
Messrs. Ho Wo Cheung—A quantity of biscuits.

Messrs. Kwong Yuet Loong—200 Japanese lanterns.  
Messrs. Chow Cheong—One iron safe.  
Messrs. Fung On Shu—30 boxes pills and 100 bottles scented hair oil.  
Messrs. Wan Tung Co.—Cigars and cigarettes.

Mr. Lun Po On of Messrs. Kwong Lun Sang—One box tea.  
Mr. Wong Sui Sang—200 packets orange peel pills and 200 packets orange peel pills.  
Messrs. C. Martini—100 bottles fever pills, 5 dozens jib. "Bupstey" capsules, 50 cases uparagus, 1 hand mirror, 6 portrait frames, 1 bucket, 5 jewel boxes, 1 dozen lead pencils, 7 paper knives, 9 brooches, 7 sets sleeve links, 25 chairs, one wrist watch chain, 1 boat muff.

Mr. Chang Sui Ching—100 boxes scented toilet powder.  
Messrs. Shau Tsang Co.—500 bottles pain relieving pills.  
Mr. Leung Yui Sang—A lot of porcelain ware valued at \$13.00 and 1 lot dairy valued at \$30.00.

The Canton Navigation Co.—100 first class passage tickets per s.s. "Pail Ben" and s.s. "Charles Hardouin" to and fro Canton valued at \$500.00.  
Mr. Leung Yin Tin of Steam Laundry Company—Department—Washing with dispatch of all table-cloths and other similar articles in use at bazaar.

Messrs. Sun Yui Yin Tong—300 boxes pills same to be replenished fully for 7 days.  
The Kwong Tung Cigar Co.—2,000 packets cigar.

Messrs. Ross and Co.—One box snow white shoe cream, 2 cases soap.  
Messrs. Tong Shun Ting and Ku Wai Nam of Messrs. Fung On Shu—80 boxes pills and 100 bottles hair oil.  
Messrs. Chu Chung Hing and Kwong Yui Sang—300 bottles "Po Chai" water (worth about \$200).  
Mr. Chan Yui Shan—500 bottles eye medicine.

Messrs. Yu Wai Pun and Chan Kam Yee—One valuable pan (through the means of this pan between 5 or 7 thousand dollars was raised at a former bazaar).  
Messrs. Yau Hing—500 bottle hair oil.  
Proprietors of the Fat Hing Garden (one of 50 to 100 pots of Mr. Lo Long Sun's flowers and ornamental trees).

Mr. Fung Shiu Hoo, student of Mr. Cheong Tsang's school—Four pairs scrolls written by himself.  
Mr. Chan Mong Leung of China Cattle Factory—20 dozen bottles catsup.  
Messrs. Hung Lan—Three cases tobacco.  
Messrs. Marie—150 dozens biscuits.  
Messrs. Kwong Wing Sang—100 paper lanterns.

Messrs. Tung Cheong Loong—88 boxes cigars.  
Messrs. Wo Hop Cheong—50 tins biscuits.  
Messrs. Nam Loong—10 dozens red cloth.  
The Members of the Tung Sin Society—One lot of foreign goods, pictures, etc., valued at \$300 and one lot of Chinese cloth valued at \$150.

The Chinese Public School—128 pieces of various embroidered and fancy articles.  
Mr. Lau Wai Sin—25 boxes pear jelly.  
Messrs. Wilkinson, Heywood and Clark—120 tins polish, 50 copies fancy lotions, 120 "Tiger" brand singlets and 1,200 pocket toilet papers.

Mr. Chung King Man—10 foreign pictures.  
Mr. Leung Kwok Nam—Eight foreign pictures with frames.  
The Hon. Mr. Lau Chu Pak—Ten picture frames.  
The Cheung Lee Co.—Loan of 800 more Vienna chairs making together 500 chairs.  
Messrs. Hung On Co.—Loan of 100 Vienna chairs.  
Messrs. A Ling Co.—Loan of 200 Vienna chairs.

Messrs. Cheung On—One painted mirror valued at \$80.  
Messrs. A Ling Co.—One painted mirror valued at \$85.  
Messrs. Po Wo—One dozen oil paintings.  
Messrs. Elip Hing—Five sets of four pictures of food relief painted by Mr. Kwan Wai Lung.

Messrs. Radetzer and Co.—One case singlets and a lot of watches.  
Messrs. Wing Hop Loong—Loan of 100 Vienna chairs.  
Mr. Lau Yui Shu—Two oil paintings.  
Messrs. Chan, Kam Ho—1,000 bottles tooth powder.

Messrs. Wm. Meyerink and Co.—One case musical clocks.  
Messrs. Po Sam On—500 bottles medicinal oil, one large bottle of same to be sold for competitive price, unlimited quantity of pills.  
Proprietors of Kung Wo News—Full supply of admission tickets to bazaar.  
Mr. Wong Pui Kong of Messrs. Chai Hing Shui—Full supply of tea and refreshment for 5 days and nights.  
Messrs. Botho Brothers—5,000 cigars.  
The China Export Import and Bank Co.—Ten cases beer.

Messrs. Yuk Lun Tong—1,000 boxes pills.  
Mr. Ip Ching Ng of Messrs. Nam Mow—20 boxes medicinal tea.  
Mr. Mak Sui Mei—Two pictures.  
Messrs. Tung Sang Loong—Ten dozens national flags, 30 ink stones and 10 dozens toys.  
Messrs. Man Kwok Co.—Five dozens tooth powder, 5 dozens bottles hair oil, 10 dozens toilet powder, 5 dozens bottles face lotion, 5 dozens bottles joyous fluid.

Messrs. Cheong Koo, Wing Kee and At Kee—Full supply of floral decorations for seven days.  
The members of Chin 6th family—12 cutlery and 512 bells.  
Messrs. Hing Cheong and Co.—Ten dozens tooth paste, 1 dozen Eau de Cologne, 1 dozen cherry toilet powder, 1 dozen powder boxes, 1 dozen hair brush, 6 handbags.  
Messrs. Yau Hing—200 bottles hair oil.  
Mr. The Kam Ming of Messrs. Po Tai—500 pamphlets and 500 post cards.  
Messrs. Grande, Price and Co.—144—Five cases Tansan, 2 cases Grape Juice, 1 case King George IV Whisky, 1 case Martell Brandy, 1 case Dr. MacKenzie's Stool and 1 case Kirin Beer and further supply of same to meet the demand of 7 days sales.

Messrs. H. Skimott and Co.—27 pieces tweed cloth.  
Mr. Ng Kwok Ying—Ten dozen boxes pills.  
Messrs. Carlowitz and Co.—Three cases mineral water.  
Messrs. Brandes Karl—Four cases beer and two cases port.  
Messrs. Fuk Wa Hong Tong—500 bottles medicinal powder.  
Mr. Kwok Tsak Pui—One picture.  
Messrs. H. Wicking and Co.—Five cases No. 1 stout, two cases No. 2 stout, three cases No. 3 stout, three cases lemon juice and one lot of hat and shoes.

Messrs. Wo Long—Two pieces red cloth.  
Messrs. Po Tai—Three dozens tea trays.  
Messrs. Kwong Tak Yuen—Three dozens tea pots and 200 tea cups.  
Messrs. Kwong Hop Yuen—200 bottles anti-rheumatism pills and 200 bottles worm powder.  
Messrs. Li Ching Kee—Six dozen safety razors.  
Mr. Chung Chung Put of the Shung Ching School—12 embroidered pictures, 2 table cloths and 2 child's hats.

Messrs. Shiu Wo Cheong—1,000 boxes dried lichee, 300 baskets and 200 tins shrimp paste.  
Messrs. Chan Kee—Two sewing machines, 30 bottles machine oil, 14 suits boy's summer clothes, 6 hats, 2 embroidered pictures.  
Mr. Si Kam Wing—500 sheets picture papers.

Messrs. Tung Fung—100 packets tobacco and 100 packets tea.  
Mr. Leung Yuen Yi—80 packets dried vegetables, 200 boxes tea, 100 boxes dried ginger, 90 boxes pills, 100 boxes medicinal tea and 20 miniature country scenes.  
Messrs. Sun Kee—2,000 floral "Butterflies", 8 floral bowls, 150 floral butterflies and 150 floral medallions.  
Mr. Chan Chung Woo—500 more bottles eye lotion, 100 bottles eye powder, 100 tins kidney pill valued altogether at \$500.

The China and Japan Telephone and Electric Co., Ltd.—Use of telephone at bazaar for 7 days and nights.  
The Mo Ip School—Band performance for 3 days, 2 hours per day.  
Messrs. Cheong Fat Loong—One embroidered jacket.  
Messrs. El Chai and Sin Ngo—Proceeds of 10 days' singing besides singing at bazaar.

## Christian Association—One lot books valued at \$150.

Hongkong Bakery—Full supply of coffee, tea, and cakes.  
Messrs. Lea On—Three Harmonia, one dozen alarm clocks, one dozen metal watches, 10 dozen gilded watch chains, one dozen hair cutting scissors and 8 dozens safety razors.  
The Man Foo Illustrated News—500 illustrated books and 4 pictures.

Messrs. Fuk Loon—Four dozen bird's nest baby food.  
The Sau Mi Lai Factory—100 bottles sweets, 200 packets almond cakes.  
Mr. Lui Hung Fun—Three boxes cinnamon bark.

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## HONGKONG &amp; SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL \$15,000,000

RESERVE FUND \$15,000,000

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## NEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL-MAATSCHAPPIJ.

(Netherlands Trading Society).

ESTABLISHED 1824.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL \$15,000,000

PAID-UP CAPITAL \$15,000,000

RESERVE FUND \$15,000,000

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For beautifying and increasing the growth of the hair, for preventing its falling off, for restoring it to its natural colour, for making it silky, pliant and lustrous, and for keeping the scalp cool and refreshed. No other hair oil can approach it in perfection. It has, besides, the most delicate and charming perfume.

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## IMMIGRATION SCANDALS.

## Bribes from Chinese.

New York, June 30.

A big scandal has developed in the United States immigration service, as a result of charges filed at Washington today that the Assistant Commissioner-General and officials elsewhere had accepted bribes in the shape of handsome presents for giving permission to violate the immigration laws prohibiting the landing of undesirable aliens.

Readers of The Daily Telegraph, says the correspondent of that paper, will recall that these laws have sometimes been enforced temporarily at the expense of distinguished travellers, including recently, as I described at the time, a well-known English author and a popular English music hall artist; but in the case of San Francisco it is charged that even Chinese were admitted when they "paid the price."

The Department of Labour at Washington issued a statement last night summarizing the charges, and a full inquiry will be made. In recent years earnest efforts have been made to provide an honest public service, free of "graft," which is prevalent in the municipal governments of the United States, but the system of political selection of officers does not work so well as the civil service system, where the appointees hold office irrespective of what party administration is in power. It is admitted that President Wilson has personally worked heroically to appoint officers, whether Ambassadors or postmasters, with due regard to personal efficiency, but the system of "political graft" is very deeply planted, and cannot be uprooted in a day.

## WORLD'S LARGEST SHIP.

Sister of Emperor and Viceroy launched.

The third steamer of the Emperor and Viceroy class, built to the order of the Hamburg-American Line by Harro Blohm and Voss at their Hamburg yards, was successfully launched on June 30, in the presence of the German Emperor, who was accompanied by a brilliant staff. Dr. Prebuhl, the Mayor of Hamburg, presided over the ceremony, and the vessel was named the Bismarck by Countess Hannah Bismarck, the eldest granddaughter of the Iron Chancellor. The weather was beautiful and there was a huge crowd to watch the launching. When the bottle of champagne was thrown by Countess Hannah Bismarck it missed its mark, whereupon the Emperor himself seized a bottle and broke it against the ship.

The Bismarck is of the same type and power as her famous sister-ships, but is slightly greater in both length and capacity. The keel was laid in April, 1913. While the tonnage of the vessel when completed will be 58,000 tons, the launching weight was about 31,000 tons. The machinery, boilers, inner equipment, funnels and masts are still to come. With a length of 955 ft., the Bismarck overreaches the measurement of the Viceroy by 5 ft. The breadth of 100 ft. and the depth from the keel to the main deck of 63 ft. are the same.

NOVEL DIVISION OF FUNNELS. The unique system of dividing the funnel shafts that was tried on the Viceroy for the first time, and with such great success, has been repeated on this vessel. This provides better ventilation for the boilers, healthier conditions for the crew beneath decks, and makes possible central passageways and an unobstructed view through the centre of the ship, by which passengers can easily find their way about. The machinery and boilers will be practically the same as on the Viceroy.

The fundamental improvements regarding protection against fire which were installed on the Emperor and the Viceroy will, of course, be found on this third ship. In addition to a submarine signal apparatus, there will be eighty-three seaworthy lifeboats, accommodating more people than the steamer will have on board.

The passenger accommodations will be similar to those on the Viceroy. In its equipment, as well as in the elegance of its public rooms, the cozier and homelike charm of its staterooms, this ship will not fall behind the other two steamers of the Emperor class. Like the Viceroy, the third vessel will accommodate 750 passengers in the first, 650 in the second and 850 in the third cabin. For the accommodation of steerage passengers, this ship will have a number of cabins for two, four and six persons, in addition to the general quarters. One year of fitting and finishing separates this vessel from the time when it will join its sister-ships in the regular service.

## HOTELS

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ELECTRIC LIGHT AND FANS. BATH-ROOM TO EACH ROOM. Cold and Hot Water throughout.

PRIVATE AND PUBLIC BILLIARD ROOM. Private Dining Room. EXCELLENT COOKING.

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## HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.

Corrected to Thursday, July 23rd, 1914.

At 100 cents per Dollar Mexican.

## Butcher Meat.

Beef Steaks and Prime Cut—Moi Lang Pa	lb	19
Corned—Ham Ngai Yek	lb	20
Roast—Shio	lb	23
Breast—Ngai Lam	lb	18
Soup—Tung Yek	lb	18
Steak—Ngai Yek Pa	lb	23
Mutton Chops—Ngai Lau	lb	35
Sausages—Ngai Chong	lb	20
Bullock's Brains—Kow	per lb	19
Tongue fresh—Ngai Li	each	80
Corned—Ham Ngai Li	lb	60
Head—Ngai Tau	lb	14
Heart—Ngai Sun	lb	14
Throat—Ngai Sun	lb	14
Feet—Ngai Kark	each	18
Kidneys—Ngai Yek	lb	19
Tail—Ngai Mei	lb	23
Liver—Ngai Kow	lb	14
Tripe (unwashed)—Ngai To	lb	7
Calf's Head and Feet—Ngai Chai Kark	set	11
Mutton Chops—Young Fat Kark	lb	25
Leg—Young Fat	lb	25
Shoulder—Young Fat	lb	24
Pigs Chills—Chu Chong	lb	27
Brains—Chu Kow	per lb	24
Feet—Chu Kark	lb	12
Fry—Chu Chai	lb	12
Throat—Chu Tau	lb	12
Heart—Chu Sun	each	10
Kidneys—Chu Yek	lb	8
Liver—Chu Con	lb	24
Art. Chop—Chu Fat Kwai	lb	25
Leg—Chu Fat	lb	27
Fat or Lard—Chu Yek	lb	27
Sheep's Head and Feet—Young Fat Kark	set	65
Heart—Young Sun	each	10
Kidneys—Young Yek	lb	25
Liver—Young Con	lb	25
Sucking Pigs To Order—Chu Chai	lb	3
Suet, Beef—Sang Ngai Yek	lb	18
Mutton—Sang Young Yek	lb	24
Veal—Ngai Chai Yek	lb	19
Sausages—Ngai Chai Chong	lb	20

## Poultry.

Chicken—Kai Chai	lb	29
Capon, Large, Small—Sin Kai	lb	30
Ducks—Ap	lb	23
Geese—Pao Kau	lb	22
Goose, Hen—Kai Tau	per lb	20
Forc. Canton—Kai	lb	34
Hainan—Moi Nam Kai	lb	30
Oeese—Ngo	lb	24
Roast Wild Duck—Shang-hoi Yek Ngo pair	each	—
Wing Duck—Wong Keng	each	—
Hare, Shanghai—Tui Chai	each	—
Partridge—Che Kook	each	—
Pheasant—Shan Kai	pair	—
Pigeons, Canton—Pak Kung	each	29
Hohow—Hoi Hoi Pak Kung	each	23
Quail—Um Chum	each	—
Rice Birds—Wo Fa Chum	dozen	—
Saupe—Se Choy	each	29
Turkey Cook—Pak Kai Kung	lb	60
Hen—Ma	lb	45
Wild Duck, Shanghai—Shang-hoi Yek Ap	lb	—
Tail—Sai Ap Chai	lb	—
Wild Duck, Canton—Sang Shing Su Ap	lb	—

## Fish.

Garbel—Ka Yu	lb	20	加鯪魚
Bream—Tiu Yu	lb	17	海鯪魚
Canton Fresh Water Fish—Hoi Hoi Yu	lb	20	鯉魚
Carp—Li Yu	lb	20	鯉魚
Catfish—Chik Yu	lb	20	鯰魚
Codfish—Mun Yu	lb	20	鱈魚
Cray—Sai	lb	20	蟹
Crab—Mak Yu	lb	15	蟹
Dab—Ma Mang Yu	lb	16	斑
Oscar—Wong Mai Lau	lb	13	黃頭魚
Cog Fish—Tsi To	lb	10	跌沙魚
Sole, Canton—Hoi Muen	lb	14	海倒刺
Fresh water—Tam Hui Yu	lb	13	淡水魚
Yellow—Wong Sin	lb	32	黃鰱
Spruce—Tien Kai	lb	29	鱸
Garoupa—Sok Pau	lb	41	石斑
Shadnow—Pak Kip Yu	lb	16	白魷
Hemionus—Tao Pak	lb	15	明蝦
Halibut—Cheung Kwai Kap	lb	23	將黃魚
Loach—Wong Fa Yu	lb	25	花魚
Loach—Wa Yu	lb	25	龍蝦
Clupeoidae—Jung Ha	lb	30	龍蝦
Mackerel—Chi Yu	lb	22	魚
Milk Fish—Wong Yu	lb	35	魚
Mullet—Chai Yu	lb	20	魚
Oysters—Sang Ho	lb	30	生蠔
Parrotfish—Kai Kwai Yu	lb	21	公鯉
Perch—Tsu Loo	lb	10	頭鱸
Pike—Pa Faw Pong	lb	10	鰱魚
Salmon—Pan Yu	lb	13	斑
Snoutless, Black—Hak Chung	lb	28	魚
Snoutless, White—Pak Chung	lb	30	魚
Trout—Ming Ha	lb	9	明蝦
Wray—Pai Pa Se	lb	3	琵琶魚
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## THE SARAVEJO MURDERS.

### CONFESSIONS OF THE ARCHDUKE'S ASSASSINS.

Story of the Plot.

VIENNA, July 2.

One of the Hungarian journals pub-  
lishes some very interesting information  
which it has received from Advocate  
Pavlovic, of Sarajevo, who has taken  
over the defence of Princip. When  
this lawyer had his first conversation  
with his client yesterday, in prison, the  
murderer said:

"I do not fear death. I reckoned  
with the possibility of being hanged. I  
got the bomb from a rich merchant in  
Belgrade, named Miko Cikanovic. He  
also gave me money. Already during  
the assassinations I wished to carry out  
the attempt at Tare, where the opera-  
tions took place, but I was not able to  
get near the Archduke because of the  
guardmount. I have been following the  
Archduke about ever since he set foot  
on Bosnian soil.

"I confess honestly that we had been  
preparing the attempt for weeks in Ser-  
bia. We wished to murder the Arch-  
duke, Franz Ferdinand, because we knew  
that his death would be a misfortune  
for Serbia, for he would wish to occupy  
that country as the most  
richly occupied Bosnia and Herzegovina  
long ago. When I started out to com-  
mit the murder I carried poison with  
me. This was given me by a man who  
directed me to commit suicide. After  
I had made the attempt and was about  
to be arrested, I lost the poison, how-  
ever."

The lawyer for the defence further  
says that Cikanovic and Princip would  
not take anything to eat. It seems  
that they have decided to carry out a  
hunger-strike. A letter has been ad-  
dressed to Princip from Belgrade, be-  
aring an illegible signature, in which he  
is congratulated on his deed. Naturally  
he did not get the letter.

Today two detectives arrived in Sar-  
ajevo from Belgrade. They came with  
an offer to lend their assistance for the  
inquiry into the crime, but their help  
was refused.

#### SEVEN CONSPIRATORS.

The examining judge, Dr. Pfister,  
makes some very remarkable utterances.  
Among other things he says:

"The result of the inquiry shows  
plainly enough, and without a shadow  
of doubt, that there was a conspiracy.  
Princip and Cikanovic denied this at  
first, but now both acknowledge it. We  
cannot now divulge the names of the  
seven conspirators, as some of them  
are not yet arrested. This is neither  
a socialistic nor a terrorist attempt.  
Both the assassins committed deeds for  
national ideals, and in the interests  
of the Serbian National party. Whether  
the deed was originated in Serbia  
or whether the men acted on their own  
account cannot be determined. It is  
very remarkable that a sum of 2,000  
Kronen (\$300) was found in Princip's  
dwelling, most of it in gold. It is only  
with gold that quite special services are  
paid for in the Balkans. The investigation  
has to-day further shown that  
not only Cikanovic, but also Princip,  
has passed his twelfth year, and that  
both can be punished with death."

According to statements made by the  
State Attorney, Dr. Svava, Cikanovic,  
who threw the bomb, confessed: "I  
had made preparations for the attempt  
for a long time beforehand. With the  
bomb that I threw at the Heir to the  
Throne and his wife I wished to destroy  
the present regime. I knew that the  
Archduke Franz Ferdinand was one of  
the greatest supporters of the old re-  
gime. I wished to annihilate him."

Here, Dr. Svava added, the assassins  
declared expressly that he did not mean  
by those phrases the reform of the mo-  
narchical State, under the present re-  
gime, but that he meant destruction  
of the rule of the House of Hapsburg,  
and he hoped that the murder of the  
Heir to the Throne would assist the  
design.

#### AUSTRIA THE ENEMY.

The State Attorney then said that  
Princip had confessed that  
"Although I was born in Bosnia, the  
big Serbian idea has always existed in  
me since my earliest childhood. I con-  
sidered it unjust that a foreign Power  
should be established in Bosnia, where  
the Serbs, on account of their numbers  
and their commercial and economic  
position, should take part in the govern-  
ment. It pained me that Austria should  
oppress us, for she is the old and eternal  
enemy of Serbia. I also knew, though,  
that the first place among those who  
were hated by Serbs was occupied by the  
Archduke, Franz Ferdinand. I knew  
that he is the sworn enemy of all Ser-  
bs."

Princip also made a full confession  
to the examining judge to-day, and pro-  
mised that he would divulge the names  
of the other conspirators to-morrow. To  
a question of the judge as to why  
he would not at once confess every-  
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it is the oxygen carried by the blood that  
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free.

vision aspirations, and that he had sworn  
to destroy Serbia and the Serbian  
dynasty. I hope that the fatal revolver  
shots will open this way to the Serbian  
unity to march here to occupy Bosnia,  
for this land is destined by its inclina-  
tions and traditions to belong to Big  
Serbia."

Finally, the State Attorney says that  
the conspiracy was concocted in a Bel-  
grade cafe, where they knew days ago  
what was planned against the Heir to  
the Throne. In Belgrade it was openly  
said that the Archduke Franz Ferdinand  
would not leave Bosnia alive.

"Although," said Princip, in this  
connection, "I received no command  
from anyone in Belgrade, I knew what  
my duty was as a Serb."

STRANGE REVELATIONS.

The fresh examination of Cikanovic  
this morning brought out some "sensational  
revelations. He said that he got  
the bomb from Major Milan Pribievic,  
who is in the Serbian military service,  
and who is also secretary of the  
"Narodna Obrana," an anti-Austrian  
society. Pribievic, it is stated, was  
acting as representative of the chief of  
the Serbian General Staff. He is the  
brother of the Croatian deputy, Svetozar  
Pribievic, and of Valerian Pribievic,  
who played a role in the "Big Ser-  
bian" treason case in Agram in 1908.  
Pribievic told Cikanovic and Princip  
to apply to a well-known Komitaj,  
Ciganovic, whom he commissioned to  
get the bombs from the arsenal of Krag-  
ujevac. Cikanovic and Princip got  
six bombs and six Browning pistols,  
but had to promise to find four more  
conspirators for the plot.

Further, each of them was told to  
hold the bomb in the right hand as the  
Archduke passed, and a bottle of  
cyanide in the other, which he was to  
swallow immediately after throwing the  
bomb. Ciganovic gave Princip enough  
money to kill six persons. Cikanovic  
and Princip were able to find a third  
conspirator in the person of a Belgrade  
agent, Trifko Grubis. The conspirators  
went to Sarajevo separately. The bombs  
were handed out on the day of the at-  
tempt, in the morning. At ten the  
three conspirators met in a confectioner's  
shop kept by one Wladie. Princip  
brought the bombs and pistols with  
him. He gave one of them each to  
Cikanovic and Grubis, and also gave  
them the poison.

IMPORTANT ARREST.

Cikanovic declares that there were  
three more conspirators, whom he will  
not name. After they had remained  
some minutes in the shop they went  
away again. Cikanovic took up his  
position near the Cornaria Bridge, Prin-  
cip on the Appel Quay, and Grubis some  
100 paces further on. Cikanovic does  
not know where the other assassins  
stood.

After the examination of Cikanovic  
and Princip, detectives went at once  
to the confectioner's they had mentioned  
in their confession, and arrested the  
proprietor. In the afternoon Grubis was  
arrested in Pracan, and was immediately  
handed over to the Governmental com-  
missioner, Gerde, who examined him  
during the night. Grubis confessed  
that he received the bomb, revolver, and  
cyanide in the confectioner's. He did  
not let the bomb go off because he saw  
that the Archduke and his wife were  
already fatally wounded.

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to the examining judge to-day, and pro-  
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## His Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Commander.	Last report at.
Acherity	despatch-vessel	1850	2	8000	Comdr. Archibald Cochrane	Waihaiwai
Adas	Admiralty tug	—	—	—	—	Hongkong
Bramble	river gunboat	710	2	300	Lt.-Comdr. V. R. Brandon	Shanghai
Drumart	river gunboat	710	2	300	Lt.-Comdr. Q. B. Preston-Thomas	Mira Bay
Calmar	aloop	1070	6	1400	Capt. M. S. Fitzmaurice	Yangtze
Chelmer	torpedo boat destroyer	550	4	7400	Lieut.-Comdr. H. T. England	Hongkong
Cherub	water tank and tug	380	—	300	—	Hongkong
Clio	sloop	1970	6	1400	Comdr. Colin Mackenzie, D.S.C.	Hongkong
Colne	torpedo boat destroyer	550	4	7500	Comdr. Seymour	Waihaiwai
Fame	torpedo boat destroyer	360	—	5700	Lieut. G. M. Blackman	Drachong
Hampshire	cruiser, 1st class	10,850	10	20,500	Capt. H. W. Grant	Waihaiwai
Jad	torpedo boat destroyer	580	4	7500	Lieut. Comdr. G. F. A. Mulock	Hongkong
Kanet	torpedo boat destroyer	580	4	7500	Lieut. Comdr. F. A. H. Russell	Waihaiwai
Kinsale	river gunboat	816	4	1200	Comdr. H. T. Marryat	Yangtze
Melina	sloop	1040	—	—	Lt.-Comdr. Gibson	Lahon
Minotaur	cruiser, 1st class	14,800	—	27,000	Capt. E. B. Kiddle	Waihaiwai
Moorhen	river gunboat	180	2	800	Lt.-Com. Alan Dixon	West River
Newcastle	cruiser, 2nd class	4800	12	22,000	Capt. Frederick A. Powells	Waihaiwai
Nightingale	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lieut. Com. Malcolm Murray	Yangtze
Ribble	torpedo boat destroyer	580	—	7500	Lieut. Comdr. R. W. Wilkinson	Waihaiwai
Roderic	depot ship, submarine	980	—	1400	Lieut. Comdr. F. A. N. Cromie	Hongkong
Robin	river gunboat	25	2	240	Lt.-Comdr. Nash	West River
Sandpiper	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lt.-Com. I. A. S. Hutton	West River
Snipe	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lt.-Comdr. M. T. R. Maxwell-Smith	Yangtze
Tamar	receiving ship	4800	—	—	Commodore R. H. Anstruther, C.M.G.	Hongkong
Tal	river gunboat	180	2	800	Lt.-Comdr. S. F. B. Russell	Upper Yangtze
Thistle	river gunboat	710	2	900	Lt.-Com. G. F. L. P. P. P.	Waihaiwai
Triumph	battleship	11,985	18	12,500	Act. Comdr. A. S. S. S. S.	Hongkong
Uk	torpedo boat destroyer	580	—	7500	Lt.-Comdr. Maxwell	Waihaiwai
Welland	torpedo boat destroyer	580	—	7500	Lieut. Comdr. C. A. Poignand	Waihaiwai
Widgeon	river gunboat	195	2	800	Lt.-Com. A. J. London	Upper Yangtze
Woodcock	river gunboat	150	2	500	Lt.-Com. M. Blackwood	Yangtze
Woodcock	river gunboat	150	2	500	Lt.-Comdr. Lloyd	Yangtze
Yarmouth	light cruiser	6250	—	22,000	Capt. H. L. Cochrane	Waihaiwai
C.38	submarine	—	—	—	Lt.-Comdr. F. J. McGillicuddy	Hongkong
C.37	submarine	—	—	—	Lieut. J. Gaines	Hongkong
C.38	submarine	—	—	—	Lieut. R. K. C. Pope	Hongkong
C.35	torpedo boat	—	—	—	Lieut. Handley	Hongkong
C.36	torpedo boat	—	—	—	Lieut. Willis	West River
C.37	torpedo boat	—	—	—	Lieut. Wyndham-Quin	West River
C.38	torpedo boat	—	—	—	Lieut. Newell	West River

\* Flagship of Vice-Admiral T. R. M. Jerram, K.C.B., Commander-in-Chief.

## Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and description.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captains.	Last report at.
Kaiserin Elisabeth	Austro-Hungarian cruiser	4000	25	8000	Capt. Mikovitch	Chingwantao
Dupleix	French armoured cruiser	10,014	30	20,000	Capt. Daveluy	Japan
Montcalm †	French flagship	9600	—	—	Capt. de Valsecan	W. Coast of America
Decidie	French gunboat	448	10	7000	Lieut. Vandier	Shanghai
Argus	French river gunboat	180	6	570	Lieut. Demadillo	Canton
Vigilante	French gunboat	123	7	500	Lieut. Lecadee	Canton
Peiho	French gunboat	180	—	—	Lieut. Collin	Tientsin
Doudard de Lagree	French gunboat	—	—	—	Lieut. Dupuy Datsampe	Takong-King
+ Flagship of Rear-Admiral Hugue Commander-in-Chief, the French China Station.						
Lynx	French sub-marine	—	—	—	Lieut. Boleux	Saigon
Proter	French sub-marine	—	—	—	—	Saigon
* Styr	French armoured gunboat	1768	10	1700	Lieut. Guillaume-Louis	Saigon
Fronda	French destroyer	350	7	300	Lieut. Aurillac	Saigon
Yborville	French destroyer	—	—	—	Capt. de Frigate Roussier	Saigon
Platolet	French destroyer	130	7	300	Comdr. de Marquessier	Saigon
Mousquet	French destroyer	307	6	300	—	Saigon
Manche	French surveying-ship	1625	10	9000	Comdr. Voinin	Saigon
* Flagship of Capt. (Commander) Boncourt, Commanding the local defense India China.						
Enden	German cruiser	3800	22	13,500	Capt. v. Mueller	Tsingtau
Garciaona	German armoured cruiser	11,600	36	26,000	Capt. Bruninghaus	Tsingtau
Dila	German gunboat	900	12	1300	Comdr. Soehse	Shanghai
Jaguar	German gunboat	900	12	1300	Comdr. Loring	Hankow
Leipzig	German cruiser	3250	24	11,000	Capt. Haas	Tsingtau
Luchs	German gunboat	900	10	1350	Comdr. Thierichens	Shanghai
Nidemburg	German cruiser	3400	22	13,500	Capt. Schinberg	Tsingtau
Oskar	German river gunboat	—	—	—	Capt. Lieut. Brunnar	Tsingtau
Schwarzhorn	German flagship	11,600	36	26,000	Capt. von Schultze	Tsingtau
S. 80	German torpedo-boat	400	8	600	Capt. Lieut. Brunnar	Tsingtau
Tiger	German gunboat	900	10	1350	Comdr. Becker	Tsingtau
Taiguan	German river gunboat	223	4	1300	Capt. von Muller	Canton
Vatland	German river gunboat	223	4	1300	Obit. z. S. Drasse	Tsingtau
Marco Polo	Italian cruiser	4145	—	—	Comdr. Bozzo Gravina	Shanghai
S. Coboco	Italian cruiser	—	—	—	Comdr. Foschini	—
Adamastor	Portuguese cruiser	1737	—	—	—	returned to Lisbon
Macao	Portuguese gunboat	—	—	—	Capt. Leito	—



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**BIRTH.**  
BONNIE—June 27, at Reston, wife of Basil Bonney, Canton Hankow Railway, a daughter.  
**MARRIAGE.**  
CHARLES WILKIE—On June 24, at St. Columba's, Port Street, Belgium, S.W. HENRY FRANK CHURCH, of Bombay, to ISABELLA CATHERINE KIRK WILKIE, daughter of the late James Wilkie and Mrs. Wilkie, of Edinburgh.  
**THE DIARY.**  
**MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.**  
None.—Distribution of Prizes by H.E. the Governor at Kowloon British School.  
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Furniture etc. at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.  
5 p.m.—Hongkong Jockey Club Meeting re. Subscription Griffin's.  
**General Memoranda.**  
SATURDAY, August 1.—10.30 a.m.—Auction of "Ladies" and Gents' Boots and Shoes at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.  
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MONDAY, August 3.—Bank Holiday.  
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THURSDAY, August 6.—8.41 a.m.—Full moon.  
SATURDAY, August 22.—None.—Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Ordinary and Extraordinary Meetings.

**THE CHINA MAIL**  
HONGKONG, THURSDAY, July 30, 1914.  
**THE EUROPEAN CRISIS.**  
THOUGH it is stated in to-day's Reuter's telegrams that there is "extreme tension everywhere" it is, we think, evident that the excitement that prevailed yesterday has given place to a calmer and a more hopeful feeling. The first shock has spent itself, and as it was, as usually is the case in such circumstances, more windy than weighty, it may be concluded that a more-balanced view of the tremendous issues at stake has now taken its place. The humane may shake their heads and remark that it is inconceivable that a war on such a scale as is now threatened can possibly take place in these enlightened days of the twentieth century. Upon those who bring about such a catastrophe, a very great responsibility will rest, but that, we believe, will have little deterring effect for wars are the outcome of vanity and passion,

seldom of reason. They may seem to be actuated by a sane though a ruthless policy, but beneath such policy will be found the desire of aggrandisement prompted by vanity. During the past twenty-five years Germany has piled up armaments out of all proportion to her requirements. She has done so with the hope of wresting from England part of her worldwide Empire—an Empire that was striven for and paid for in blood and treasure hundreds of years before there was any semblance of the Germany of today. Germany believes that she has not got her proper place "in the sun," and many of her best known writers on military subjects, General Bernhard and others, make no mystery of their country's determination to pile up armaments until the time comes for a supreme effort. It is a big price to pay for colonies, particularly when it is not quite certain that the colonies will pay their way. The question of the hour is: "Has the time come for the great struggle?" The universal opinion prevails that the time has arrived. The preliminary struggle is to be engaged in by the Teutonic Austrians and the Slavonic Serbians, Montenegrins and, possibly, the Russians. With the introduction of Russia upon the scene Austria will rely upon Germany for assistance. If the Slavs are worsted by the Teutons Russia will receive the help of her ally, France. It is possible that even then the Teutons may continue in the ascendant and, if so, England and Italy will probably be compelled to take part. That is the course that is likely to shape itself; but, happily, everything is little more than conjecture at present. Actual fighting does not appear to have taken place yet, though in yesterday's telegram it was stated that Austria had begun a blockade of the Montenegrin port of Antivari and to-day's telegrams mention the concentration of Serbian troops on her own frontiers. It is clear that little is required to let slip the dogs of war, and if once war is set in motion it is quite probable that the dreaded European upheaval will be inevitable. One of the latest telegrams to reach us says that the Powers are actively communicating with a view to averting the war beyond the area primarily concerned. That in itself is bad enough, but it is a consummation devoutly to be wished when one contemplates the awful havoc that will result if a widespread European war breaks out.

Since writing the above, telegrams have come to hand in which it is stated that the Austrians and Serbians are actively engaged in the vicinity of Belgrade and that German troops are moving in response to a Russian advance towards Wirballen.

**SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.**  
To-day is the anniversary of the accession, in 1900, of King Victor Emmanuel III of Italy.  
Commander H. B. DeWitt, R.N., is appointed to H.M.S. Minotaur for navigating from August 1.  
Commander E. V. R. Dogemore, R.N. has been appointed to H.M.S. Clio, vice Commander Colin McKenzie, R.N., dated August 1.  
Mr. G. Otton, of the Java-China-Japan line, who came to Hongkong in May last year, has left for Sorabaya to open a branch of the Company there.  
Lieut. G. W. W. Treviser, R.G.A., and Lieut. N. J. Williams, A.S.C., late of the Hongkong garrison, have passed in subject (i) for promotion at Home.  
The resignation of Mr. E. T. C. Warner from the British Consular service has been accepted. Mr. E. T. C. Warner, C.M.G., who has been Acting Consul at Foonchow, has received the substantive appointment.  
Engineer, Commander J. Dawson from H.M.S. Albemarle has been appointed to H.M.S. Triumph, vice Engineer Captain. Jennings, additional, for charge of machinery H.M.S. Wren, and for fleet duties at Hongkong, dated August 1.

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**LAUNCH OF A NEW STEAMER.**  
The new steamer "Neustra Bra De La Paz" (Our Lady of Peace) built for the Philippine inter-island cargo and passenger trade, was successfully launched yesterday morning from the yards of Messrs. Bailey and Co. Ltd., Kowloon.

**NEWS OF THE DAY.**  
**LOCAL AND GENERAL.**  
The American Mail ex China was not received per as. Aldenham as previously notified.  
Messrs. A. Fong, photographer, Queen's Road, has sent in some excellent photographs of scenes in the flooded district.  
A meeting of those who hold shares in the Hongkong Tramway Co., Ltd., is called for Saturday next to discuss matters affecting the future management of the Company.  
Yesterday morning, a Chinese clerk, living at 47 Connaught Road West, had stolen from his premises \$30 worth of jewellery, eight articles of clothing and \$30 in money.  
Six weeks hard labour and four hours' strokes was the sentence passed upon a Chinese arrested while leaving the Royal Naval Yard with a quantity of canvas wound round his body.  
Mr. Melbourne to-day sentenced a Chinese to pay a fine of \$300 or three months' imprisonment for conveying unstamped letters from Macao to Hongkong. The accused had been fined \$200 previously for a similar offence.  
The Canton District Court has decided that marriage contracts made by parents are not binding, and recently freed a girl from her contract. This decision affects a time-honoured custom.

Members of the Hongkong Jockey Club are reminded that a meeting will be held at the Jockey Club's office to-morrow at 5 p.m. to arrange about Subscription Griffin's for the next Race Meeting.  
The report of the theft of jewellery from 222 Queen's Road Central on the 23rd inst. has been proved to be without foundation. The complainant has informed the police that she reported the articles as stolen in order to spite another inmate.  
A big theft took place last night at 58 Queen's Road West, a Chinese married woman being robbed of jewellery to the value of \$877, clothing valued at \$196 and \$71 in money. The thief, entered the house through the roof.  
Monday, the 3rd August, being a Public Holiday the Post Office will be open from 8 to 9 a.m. only. There will be no delivery of ordinary correspondence and no collection of letters from the Pillar Boxes. The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

At the annual meeting of the Royal Society of Arts on 24th ult. the following were, amongst others, elected members:—His Highness Tunghu Bendahara, Kota Bharu, Kelantan, and P. E. O'Brien, Butler, British Consulate-General, Malacca, and 29, Clarence Gardens, N.W.  
Messrs. Harland and Wolff, says a Belfast correspondent, have tendered for several of the new P. and O. first-class mail boats in the market, and it is expected that two or three of them will come to Belfast. Harland and Wolff have built a fair number of vessels for the same owners, the last one being the Maloja.  
The s.s. "Aldenham," which arrived in port to-day from Mouji, struck the last typhoon that went north on the east side of Formosa. The "Aldenham's" report reads:—The ship experienced a severe typhoon while crossing the Eastern Sea, the barometer fell as low as 28.75. The vessel behaved well and with the exception of a few minor damages to deck fittings no serious damage was sustained.

Mr. W. G. St. Clair (editor of "Singapore Free Press"), Imperial Press Conference, 1909, in the course of a letter to the "Daily Telegraph" on the subject of National Finance writes:—The finance of the United Kingdom—covering as it does matters of Imperial defence, in which the Overseas Empire is deeply interested—should no longer be left to the mercy of the vagaries of partisanship, representative of no more than a moiety of the electorate at home. When we see the Navy controlled—or at least presumably controlled—by the Lords of the Admiralty, when we see the Army managed by the Army Council, and even India and Indian affairs supervised by the India Council, advisory to the Secretary of State, it may with reason be asked why the financial policy of the United Kingdom should not be removed from party control and placed in charge of a great representative body, in which industry, commerce, and banking shall completely and permanently outweigh the element that subjects national interests to party exigencies.

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**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**  
**THE LATE SIR KAI HO KAI.**  
A Sympathetic Resolution.  
A meeting of the Legislative Council was held this afternoon, H.E. the Governor, Sir Henry May, K.C.M.G., presiding. There were also present:—H.E. the General Officer Commanding the Troops, Major-General F. H. KERRY, O.B.  
Hon. Colonial Secretary, Mr. CLARE SEVIER.  
Hon. Attorney-General, Mr. J. H. KERR.  
Hon. Colonial Treasurer, Mr. E. D. C. VOYLES.  
Hon. Director of Public Works, Mr. A. F. CANNON.  
Hon. Secretary for Chinese Affairs, Mr. E. R. HALLIDAY.  
Hon. Capt. Supt. of Police, Mr. C. McI. MESSER.  
Hon. Mr. Wai Yik, C.M.G.  
Hon. Mr. H. E. POLLOCK, K.C.  
Hon. Mr. E. SHELLEN.  
Hon. Mr. DAVID LAMDALE.  
Hon. Mr. LAO CHU PAK.

**THE LATE SIR KAI HO KAI.**  
His Excellency the Governor moved the following resolution:—This Council desires to record its deep sorrow at the death of Sir Kai Ho Kai, for 24 years one of its most brilliant and devoted members; and to tender to his widow and family its heartfelt sympathy with them in their bereavement.  
His Excellency said: Gentlemen,—It was only on the 25th of February last that this Council recorded its great appreciation of the eminent services rendered to it and to the Colony by Sir Kai Ho Kai during the long period of 24 years during which he had been a Member of the Council, his seat upon which he was obliged to resign owing to ill-health. To-day I have to ask you to record our deep sorrow at his untimely death and our heartfelt sympathy with his widow and his family in their bereavement.  
The Council has so recently expressed its sense of the devoted and valuable services of Sir Kai Ho Kai; and the Chinese Community, in the address which they presented to him, and the public Press in numerous appreciative articles at the time of his resignation and again at the time of his death, have recorded so fully the splendid work done for the Chinese Community and for the whole Colony by our deceased colleague and friend, that it is unnecessary for me to dilate further upon his services now. We have followed him to the grave with sorrow, we cherish his memory with respect, we treasure with admiration the example he has set us all of devotion to public duty.  
It is with a heavy heart that I move the resolution which I term too inadequate records our feelings at this hour.

The Hon. Mr. Wai Yik seconded, and the resolution was carried in silence, the Members standing.  
Upon the motion of the Hon. Colonial Secretary the Council then adjourned for a week as a mark of respect to Sir Kai Ho Kai, the remaining orders of the day being discharged.

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**MAINTENANCE OF A SON.**  
**DIVORCED DEFENDANT'S APPLICATION.**  
Re-hearing Asked For.  
In the Summary Court this morning Mr. Davidson, of Messrs. Hastings and Hastings, made an application on behalf of the defendant in the Summary Court action, Marium Jacob Solomon, otherwise Rahim, versus Jacob Hai Solomon, runner at the Peak Hotel. The claim in the original action was for Rs. 1200, or its equivalent in Hongkong currency, being the amount of maintenance agreed to be paid by defendant to plaintiff in respect of their natural and lawful son under an agreement in writing dated 2nd July 1904; or in the alternative Rs. 400, being maintenance under the agreement; or Rs. 360, maintenance at the rate of Rs. 10 a month for the past three years from July 2, 1911, until the date of the action.  
Mr. W. B. Hind, of Mr. G. K. Hall Britton's office, represented the plaintiff and opposed the application on her behalf. Mr. Davidson said he took it that before exercising his discretion under section 17 of the Summary Jurisdiction Ordinance he would have to be satisfied that a mistake had been made; and that some injustice had been done. The record showed that the defendant consented to judgment for Rs. 360, maintenance for three years. Defendant had now filed a declaration in which he stated that he was divorced from his wife in accordance with the law of the Jewish religion; when the agreement was signed he was an infant, being under the age of 21; that when he instructed his solicitor to consent to judgment he did not know there was a defence to the action. He also said he was always willing to maintain his son but desired to do so in his own house. Now he had been applied to by the plaintiff for a further instalment under the agreement and he only now realised that he would have to pay the judgment debt but also further instalments.

Mr. Davidson said defendant had two principal defences which were not disclosed at the hearing through some mistake on the part of his previous legal advisers; that there was no consideration whatever for the agreement; and that at the time the defendant signed it he was an infant. There was a third point: that shortly after the agreement was signed defendant asked for the custody of the child, which was refused, and it was at any rate arguable that this was a determination of the contract. The agreement provided that if defendant did not pay a composition of Rs. 400 by a certain date he should pay Rs. 10 per month and as no time was set for its termination the presumption in law was that it continued for life. This, he submitted, was in the nature of a penalty under the agreement. He had not to mind good his defences now, but only to show that there were prima facie defences.  
Mr. Hind argued that a consent to judgment was in the nature of an agreement and could not be set aside if it was a good agreement, and further that his Lordship had only power to set open cases which had been tried.  
His Lordship reserved his decision.

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**POSITIONS OF THE CLUBS TO DATE.**  
Goals. V. R. C. (A)..... 5 4 0 1 3 5  
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**VOLUNTEER ORDERS.**  
**Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A. Chapman V. D.**  
**OFFICERS' CLASS.**  
The about class will be held on Tuesday 4th August at 5.45 p.m.  
**APPOINTMENT.**  
H. E. the Governor has been pleased to appoint Capt. R. E. Lindell to be Lieut. in the H. K. Volunteer Corps with effect from 24th July 1914.  
**LEAVE.**  
Lieut. A. Hamilton is granted leave of absence from 1.8.14 to 16.9.14.  
**JOINED.**  
The undermentioned members having joined the Corps have been posted as follows:—Gr. J. McCubbin to No. 2 Section, Artillery Battery.  
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**REMOVED.**  
No. 930 Corp. B. F. Chapman is permitted to resign dated 29.7.14.

**NAVAL AND MILITARY.**  
(From the "London and China Express")  
A new crew for the Minotaur, flagship of the China Squadron, will be despatched to Hongkong about the end of August or the beginning of September next.  
The 40th Pathans, which recently arrived at Hongkong from Alipora, India, represent one of the many regiments raised in India during the Mutiny of 1857-58. It was formed in the latter year as part of the new Bengal Army, and some years ago was reconstituted and recruited from amongst the border tribesmen, including such fighting septas as the Afridis, Yusufzais, Bogras, Orasias, and other Punjabi races.  
Orders have been issued for Lieutenant W. O. Overy, Army Service Corps, Cork, to proceed to Hongkong, "best troops" season—about September.  
Captain R. H. M. Watson, Royal Garrison Artillery, has been appointed adjutant of the Royal Garrison Artillery at Hongkong. Captain Watson has served in the Royal Garrison Artillery for nearly sixteen years, and has been a captain for the past ten years.  
The conditions of service, &c., for non-commissioned officers, trumpeters, drummers, and artificers of cavalry and infantry proceeding abroad in units have been revised, and are as follows:—For India, South Africa, Mauritius, Mediterranean Stations, and Egypt, not less than four years unexpired service on Oct. 1 of each year, and not under 20 years of age. For North and South China, Singapore, and Bermuda, not less than four years' unexpired service on Dec. 1 of each year, and not under 20 years of age. As in past years, non-commissioned officers posted in relief to the service units abroad have frequently in many cases been very young soldiers, who on joining their units have found themselves senior in rank to non-commissioned officers of great experience and length of service. The War Office has directed attention to this disadvantage, and has attached to the headquarters of the Japanese Army in 1894-5, and five years' unexpired service in Special Reserve Officers' Class.

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Referee, Mr. F. Lammert.  
In the early part of the game the V.R.C. were aggressive, and shots were sent in by Cooke and Ellis. Cooke received a close in and with a clever backhand opened the scoring. The R.G.A. forwards Crawford and Dyson put on a spurt and worried the civilians' defence to good purpose. They failed to score, however, and Barros came away in good style but overlooked Dyson who quietly relieved him of the ball. Ellis scored the second for the V.R.C. Ribbands failing to hold a hot shot. Dyson scored a beauty from about halfway for the soldiers but the referee declined to allow it, much to the regret of the players. A third goal was scored by Barros, and the teams were lined up ready to restart when the referee announced that time had elapsed before the last goal was scored, so that half time was due with the score 2 goals to nil in favour of the V.R.C.  
The soldiers restarted in determined fashion. All their forwards played well and had the civilians' defence in difficulties. A penalty was awarded and Crawford bested Barros. Play was exciting now and another blunder by Carvalho in leaving Crawford brought the score level, the soldier securing a few yards from goal by the disgust of Barros. The shot however, best him and the score level. This goal Carvalho in possession, and he stood for his mistakes by swimming well up and scoring a fine goal. This ended the scoring, the V.R.C. winning a hard game. Result:—V.R.C. (A), 3; R.G.A., 2.

**VOLUNTEER ORDERS.**  
**Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A. Chapman V. D.**  
**OFFICERS' CLASS.**  
The about class will be held on Tuesday 4th August at 5.45 p.m.  
**APPOINTMENT.**  
H. E. the Governor has been pleased to appoint Capt. R. E. Lindell to be Lieut. in the H. K. Volunteer Corps with effect from 24th July 1914.  
**LEAVE.**  
Lieut. A. Hamilton is granted leave of absence from 1.8.14 to 16.9.14.  
**JOINED.**  
The undermentioned members having joined the Corps have been posted as follows:—Gr. J. McCubbin to No. 2 Section, Artillery Battery.  
Gr. A. Walmaley to No. 2 Section, Artillery Battery.  
**REMOVED.**  
No. 930 Corp. B. F. Chapman is permitted to resign dated 29.7.14.



## BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

## THE EUROPEAN CRISIS.

## EXTREME TENSION EVERYWHERE.

## STATEMENT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

## MONTENEGRO ASSISTING SERBIA.

LONDON, July 30.

There is extreme tension everywhere.

## British Cabinet Sitting.

The British Cabinet is sitting. Sir Edward Grey, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, was late in arriving owing to a prolonged conference with the German Ambassador.

The Cabinet sat for over two hours, after which Mr. Asquith, Mr. Churchill, Sir Edward Grey and Lord Haldane conferred.

## Business Failures.

So far there are seven failures in London and two in Glasgow. Some of them are of only moderate importance.

## The Financial Situation.

In the House of Commons Mr. Lloyd George announced that he had consulted the officials of the Bank of England and had been advised that it was neither necessary nor advisable at present to call a meeting of bankers to deal with the financial situation.

## Statement by the Prime Minister.

In the House of Commons Mr. Asquith said the situation was one of extreme gravity and he could only usefully say that the Government were unrelaxing in their efforts to do everything in their power to circumscribe the area of possible conflict.

Although Sir Edward Grey was expected to make a statement, he did not speak.

## British Consols.

British consols are down to 69½. Other stocks are unquoted.

A later telegram states that the Government are buying consols, which are now at 70½.

## Serbian Troops Concentrating.

News has arrived at Vienna of big concentrations of Serbian troops and Serbian aeroplanes are stated to be scouting the frontier.

A Montenegrin brigade with artillery is near Prigob supporting Serbia.

## Russia Partly Mobilised.

Reuter states that Russia is partly mobilised in the South and South-West. This does not necessarily imply a rupture and it is still hoped that some power may yet bring about an understanding.

## Bourses Closed.

The St. Petersburg and the Amsterdam Bourses have been closed.

## Kaiser and Tsar Exchange Telegrams.

The Kaiser and Tsar have exchanged telegrams on the situation.

## Enthusiastic Welcome to President Poincaré.

President Poincaré received an enthusiastic welcome on his arrival in Paris.

## Money Exchanges Disorganised.

Consols closed at 71.

Three of the failures reported prove that fairly big money exchanges are absolutely disorganised. Cheques on Paris have stopped, the quotation ranging from 24.50 to 24.90. Discounts are nominal, those for three months ranging from 4½ to 5 per cent. An advance of one per cent. in the Bank rate is expected to-morrow.

## Restricting The War Area.

In the House of Lords, Lord Morley stated that the powers were actively communicating with a view to averting war beyond the area primarily concerned.

## Fighting Near Belgrade.

A telegram from Vienna states that it is semi-officially announced that the Serbians destroyed the bridge at Semlin, yesterday morning.

## Austrians Compel Evacuation.

The Austrians bombarded the Serbian positions compelling evacuation.

## Serbian Steamers Captured.

Two Serbian steamers laden with ammunition and mines have been captured.

## War Fever Growing In Russia.

A telegram from St. Petersburg states that the war fever is growing. Thousands of people demonstrated there and at Odessa yesterday evening cheering England and France.

## Serbian Officers Leave Belgrade.

Twenty thousand people gave the Serbian officers an ovation on their departure from Belgrade.

## Movement of German Troops.

A Berlin message states that troops are being moved in response to the Russian advance towards Wirballen.

## Flowers For Serbian Officers.

The departing Serbian officers on their way to the front were carried shoulder high, and the railway carriages in which they travelled were heaped with flowers.

## War Preparation.

The lights in the Black Sea have been extinguished.

## The Die Cast.

A telegram from St. Petersburg states that the Russians consider that the die has been cast and that only a miracle can avert war.

## The Tsar To Be Generalissimo.

In the event of war the Tsar will be Generalissimo.

## Belgrade In Flames.

The Daily Mail's Vienna correspondent states that Belgrade is in flames as the result of the bombardment and that the palace has been damaged.

## An Artillery Duel.

The Daily Telegraph's Athens correspondent telegraphs that an artillery duel is in progress at Vichitza, five miles down the river from Belgrade.

## Important German Conference.

Reuter's Berlin correspondent states that a conference between Dr. Bethmann von Hollweg, the Chancellor, Herr von Jagow, Admiral von Tirpitz, and high naval and military officials took place last evening and lasted till midnight.

## No British Mobilisation.

It is officially stated that no British mobilisation has been ordered and that military and naval measures are being taken merely as precautionary and defensive.

## "Hearts of Oak."

The First Fleet left Portland under sealed orders. The bands played "Hearts of Oak" and the crews were cheering.

## CRAMP COLIC.

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## BY TELEGRAPH. BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

## HOME RACING.

## RESULT OF THE GOODWOOD PLATE.

LONDON, July 30.

The race for the Goodwood Plate (2 miles, run July 29) was as follows:—

Mr. G. Faber's Colliodon .... 1  
Mr. A. James' Nimula .... 2  
Mr. E. de Mestre's John Amundall 3  
Fourteen run. Won by three lengths. Four lengths between second and third. The betting on the placed horses was:—100 to 8 Nimula.  
7 to 2 John Amundall

The winner is a three-year-old bay colt by Collet out of Eclair. He ran three times only last year, finishing fourth twice. Nimula is a four-year-old bay filly by William the Third—Duma, and John Amundall is a five-year-old black colt by Count Schomberg—Black Cherry.

Last year the race went to Woburn Day, Bandook and Cornock being respective second and third. Other previous winners since 1909 were Lucas, Queen's Journal, Ignition and Irish Marine.—Ed.]

## GOODWOOD CUP PROBABLES.

The probable starters, with weights and jockeys, for the Goodwood Cup (handicap, 2 miles, run July 30) are as follows:—

Florist (Clark) 9st 3lb.  
China Cook (Donoghue) 9st 3lb.  
At Last (Rickaby) 9st.  
Son in Law (F. Bullock) 7st 7lb.  
St. Guthlac (Cooper) 7st 2lb.

## HOME CRICKET.

LONDON, July 30.  
Lancashire beat Gloucestershire at Manchester by 237 runs. Last year Lancashire won by 54 runs.

Surrey beat Sussex at the Oval by one wicket. Last year Surrey won by 158 runs.

Kent beat Nottingham by 47 runs. Last year Nottingham won by 42 runs.

Essex beat Leicestershire at Leyton by six wickets.

## THE CONSPIRACY CHARGE.

## THE ARREST OF RIBEIRO.

## Gutierrez Discharged.

At the opening of the adjourned conspiracy charge to defraud the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, against the accused, Remedios and Gutierrez, Mr. Lewis (Messrs Johnston, Stokes, and Master) applied for the discharge of Gutierrez.

Mr. Gardiner, defending Gutierrez, raised no objection. Gutierrez was then discharged.

The charge against Remedios was then amended to conspiring with Gutierrez to defraud.

Detective Mr. A. Fernandes from the Singapore Police, in the witness box said on May 21 the Chief Detective handed him a registered letter which contained two letters. The letter was addressed to "R. Richardson, Esq." at an address in Devonshire Road, Singapore. The address had been altered to J-hore.

Detective Clark said that on June 29th he proceeded to Colombo to execute two warrants issued at Hongkong for the arrest of a man named Ribeiro. On July 3rd he attended the Colombo Police Court.

Ribeiro was brought before the Court and identified. Ribeiro is present when he was charged, and through the subsequent proceedings, the Inspector of Police produced all the documents found in Ribeiro's possession.

Mr. Crow objected to the statement and referred to the "wickedness" of the case in putting in a story to which he had objected from the first. He knew his Worship had asked the Press.

Mr. Lewis: The Press will find very interesting material in reporting my friend's remarks.

Detective Clark, continuing, said he brought Ribeiro to Hongkong. On the way he stopped at Singapore and took him to the Free Office where he was identified.

Mr. Lewis asked leave to call secondary evidence on the letter put in one of which said "destroy all letters and documents."

Mr. Crow said the letters were not put in as evidence against Remedios but only as an omission on the part of the second defendant.

Mr. Wood agreed.

Mr. Lewis argued the point and Mr. Wood said he could call secondary evidence.

Mr. Crow objected to evidence being brought before the court at any cost irrespective of its effecting the defendant.

Detective Fernandes replied said he made a copy of the envelope. A photograph of the hand written letter was taken and a copy made of the type-written letter. Witness made a tracing of the signature on the letter by the typewriter machine.

The charge was adjourned until to-morrow afternoon at 2.15.

We understand that Gutierrez has expressed the intention of turning King's evidence and that he was discharged on this account.

(Wah Tse Yat Po's Service.)

## PROPOSED UNIVERSITIES.

PEKING, July 30.

The Education Department proposes to establish Universities in Peking, Nanking, Shantung, Canton, Szechuan and Fukien.

## DREDGING THE LI HO.

PEKING, July 30.

The Government has decided to borrow a sum of \$600,000 for the dredging of the Li Ho, and to increase import and export duties on the route to meet the repayment.

## MUTINEERS NEAR KWANGTUNG.

SHANGHAI, July 30.

The provincial authorities of Hunan province have wired to the Canton Government requesting that troops be sent to the border to intercept the mutinous soldiers who are approaching Kwangtung.

## BURIAL OF DUBLIN RIOT VICTIMS.

LONDON, July 30.

The victims of the Dublin riots were buried yesterday, the streets being crowded when the cortege passed.

## EX-PRESIDENT HUERTA.

LONDON, July 30.

Reuter's correspondent at Jamaica telegraphs that ex-President Huerta has left for Santander.

## THE WEST RIVER FLOODS.

## FURTHER REPORT BY MR. A. E. WOOD.

Mr. A. E. Wood sent the following report from Wuchow on the 19th inst.:—

We have come up through Tak Hing Chai to Wuchow, where this is being written. A few miles above Shih Hing the character of the country alters, and from flowing through the flat tract of Ko Yiu district the river passes thenceforward between hills that come down close on either side, and the character of our problem accordingly changes. The most important point to note is that there are no embankments in these parts and that the flood water drains off rapidly, enabling the second crop to be readily planted.

At Tak Hing we called upon Mr. Robb as the American Reformed Presbyterian Mission, who is administering the relief that lies in his power. To our offer of rice he will reply in a day or two, when he has collected reports from his colleagues, who were at the moment engaged on enquiries through the countryside.

From him and from the District Officer, Mr. Sham, whom we afterwards visited, we gathered that the outlook is not nearly so serious as in Ko Yiu district, where, as I have already explained, the situation is complicated by broken embankments. But from the figures supplied—10,706 needy victims of the flood, 1,036 ruined houses, and not more than 36,000 copies of relief rice to distribute—I expect that our help will be required. This morning we reached Wuchow, where the British Consul, Mr. Fletcher, gave us every assistance. With him we called upon the Christian Alliance Mission, where we met Mr. Jaffray and his colleagues, who know the country well. Mr. Jaffray was engaged with Mr. Clement in the Kwong Sai Famine Relief of 1903.

The affected areas follow the lines of the Lau and Fu rivers, where the water came down quickly but quietly passed away, having destroyed the first crop, but leaving it possible to plant the second. There are no embankments.

The situation is not regarded as desperate, but there is bound to be a certain poverty for some months to come. The Christian Alliance Mission, working with the Western and Baptist Missions, proposes to administer regular relief and will inform us as soon as possible of the help that Hongkong can give. The Chinese officials are organizing a depot for the cheap sale of rice, at about \$4.00 apiece. Mr. Fai, the local, or, as he is now called, the two yin, tells me that Nanning is the centre from which this scheme is being worked. Nanning itself, it now appears, has had no flood. When it telegraphed to Canton for 10,000 piculs of rice, as I reported before, it was telegraphing on behalf of Wuchow and district, and in its capacity as relief depot. While rejoicing in Nanning's immunity from flood, one must face the fear of later rains up there, as this year's flood has been unusually early. To-morrow we return to Ko Yiu district.

## BLAZON TYPE NOT NECESSARY.

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## THE TRADE OF HONG KONG.

## AN INCREASE IN SPITE OF GENERAL DEBILITY.

(Specially written for the "China Mail.")

The trade of the port of Hongkong for the six months ending June 30th 1914 shows an increase in the amount of ocean tonnage arriving and departing, and this in spite of the general debility of trade as shown generally throughout the world, and which was the outcome of the previous two years' prosperity in the shipping line. Imports, exports and cargo in transit remain about the same as the previous year. The amount of bunker coal shows an increase of 14,000 tons taken during the year. Passengers arriving and departing also show very little difference to last year's total, with the exception of emigrants. Here is shown an enormous decrease. The total for the first six months, 1913 being 82,000, and that of the first six months 1914 62,000, a decrease of 20,000 in six months. This is principally accounted for by the very large increase in the previous two years over the average.

The River Trade figures remain about the same as last year, there being 3,309 vessels of 2,065,229 tons in 1913 as against 3,343 vessels of 2,017,918 tons in 1914. The amount of cargo shipped and discharged shows an increase. Imports in 1913 being 108,880 and in 1914 122,000 tons. Exports in 1913—55,847 and in 1914 114,049 tons. The passenger trade for 1914 shows a big decrease: the number carried in 1913 was 1,448,738, and in 1914 this dropped to 1,110,542, a decrease of 338,196, the probabilities being that a good many more travel by railway now than formerly; also, China being in a more settled state, there has not been the exodus to Hongkong there was the previous year.

The Foreign Junk Trade also shows a healthy increase, the figures for 1913 being 15,045 junks of 1,384,467 tons, and for 1914—15,132 junks of 1,513,508 tons. Imports for 1913—178,410 tons, as against 208,765 tons for 1914. Exports for 1913—419,173 tons, and 1914—568,060 tons. Total number of passengers arriving and departing in 1913 was 30,087, which in 1914 increased to 100,287.

## BISHOP THROWN BY ANGRY CROWD.

Miscellaneous Thrown After a Consecration Service.

Miscellaneous were thrown "by an angry crowd" at Plymouth on July 3 at the Bishop of Exeter after he had consecrated the new Church of St. Mary the Virgin, Launceston.

During the service itself there were groans, jeers, and the banging of tin cans. As the bishop and clergy left the church the crowd made a rush, and but for the intervention of the police the bishop would have been mobbed. As it was, he made his escape in a passing motor-car.

The cause of the hostility of the people is that the mission church curate, Mr. Marchant, was passed over when the appointments to the new church were made.

## CHINESE LOYALTY.

Remarkable Price For Picture Of The King.

At the auction sale held at Dr. R. M. Connolly's home at Ipoh on July 18 an everyday little coloured picture of King George V. in an oval gilt frame about fifteen inches in height fetched the remarkable price of \$550. It was bought by a local Chinese gentleman. When the bidding went up to \$480, says the Malay Daily Chronicle, a European bid \$485 thinking that he was bidding five cents above the Chinese gentleman. Undaunted the latter called out \$490 to the general surprise. The picture was subsequently knocked down to him for \$550 much to the amazement of the assembly. This is undoubtedly a record price for any picture sold in British Malaya and speaks well for the Chinese gentleman in question who, in reply to enquiries from the ladies and gentlemen present, was heard to remark that there was nothing extraordinary in the high bidding in view of his intention to give Malaya an inkling of Chinese loyalty to the King.

During the hearing of an appeal at the London Sessions Mr. Angus Watson referred to the advertisement of Ekippor securities depicting a skipper. "It is a picture of a Naval Reserve man living in London," he said. "He acted as artist's model for the King's legs in the Coronation picture." Mr. Watson added that he had spent \$50,000 a year on advertising.

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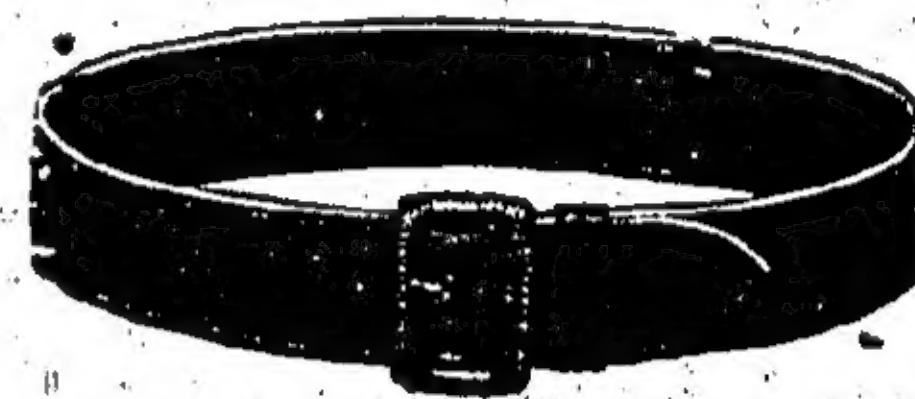
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## FRENCH MAIL LINES.

FOURTEENTHLY SERVICE TO AND FROM JAPAN,  
Via SHANGHAI.

FOURTEENTHLY SERVICE TO AND FROM EUROPE,  
Via SUEZ CANAL.

For	Steamers	To Sail
SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA	CORDILLERE	10th August.
MARSEILLES, via Port of AMARONE	POLYNESIE	24th August.
OF CALL	PAUL LECAT	11th August at 1 p.m.

ALL STEAMERS Fitted WITH WIRELESS.

TRANS-SHIPING on the Co's Steamers to COLOMBO for CALCUTTA, BOMBAY and ACHERAM, at Port Said for the Levant, Constantinople and Black Sea.

Through Tickets to LONDON, via Paris by rail.

Chronicle tickets to Europe via Suez and SUEZIAN Route and vice-versa delivered here.

For further particulars apply to  
P. THOMAS, Agent.

## THE EASTERN &amp; AUSTRALIAN

## STEAMSHIP CO., LIMITED.

MAIL SERVICE  
TO AUSTRALIA, via MANILA.

## MAIL SCHEDULE

(SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION)

Steamers	Arrive Hongkong from Australia	Leave Hongkong for Australia
ALDENHAM	August 4th	July 31st at 10 a.m.
EMPIRE	August 22nd	August 23rd at 10 a.m.
ST. ALBANS	September 12th	September 18th at 10 a.m.
EASTERN		October 9th at 10 a.m.

THE above Steamers are fitted with Refrigerating Machinery, ensuring a plentiful supply of Ice, Fresh Provisions, etc., and are lighted throughout with Electricity. All State Rooms have Electric Fans. A daily qualified Doctor and Stewards are carried.

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Agents.

## SHIPPING

## CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

## SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
SHANGHAI & TSINGTAU	CHUAN	Aug. 1, Midnight.
WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENSIN	HUICHOW	Aug. 4, at 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI	SHANGHAI	Aug. 4, at 4 p.m.
MANILA, CEBU & ILOILO	TAMING	Aug. 4, at 4 p.m.
HOHANG & HAIPHONG	KAIPOW	Aug. 5, at 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI	WUWU	Aug. 6, at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI & TSINGTAU	TSINGTAU	Aug. 8, Midnight.
MANILA, CEBU & ILOILO	CHUAN	Aug. 11, at 4 p.m.

DIRECT SAILINGS TO WEST RIVER—Twice Weekly.

S.S. "LINTAN" and S.S. "SANTU".

MANILA LINE. Twin Screw Steamers "Chinua," "Taming," & "Tea." Excellent Saloon accommodation on sailings. Electric Fans fitted. Extra state-rooms on deck, aft on "Taming" and "Tea."

SHANGHAI AND TSINGTAU LINE. The Twin Screw Steamers "Anhui," "Chuan," "Shanghai" and the S.S. "Kanehow," "Lungchow," "Lungchow," and "Yingchow," having excellent accommodation with Electric Light throughout and Electric Fans in the State-rooms and Dining Saloon, maintain a fast schedule service between Canton, Hongkong and Shanghai leaving Hongkong for Shanghai direct, every Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday, taking cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Yangtze and Northern China Ports.

The Steamers leaving Hongkong on Sundays proceed from Shanghai to Tsingtau, leaving there on Tuesday for Shanghai, Hongkong and Canton.

S.S. Passengers must embark before midnight on Saturday for the Sunday morning sailing. A Company's launch leaves Murray Pier at 10 o'clock every Saturday night.

These Steamers land passengers in Shanghai, avoiding the inconvenience of transshipment at Woosung.

REDUCED FARES—

Hongkong to Shanghai—Single \$45. Return \$75.

Hongkong to Tsingtau—Single \$75. Return \$125.

For Freight or Passage apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
AGENTS.

Telephone No. 36.

## INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

## PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

For	STEAMERS	To Sail
SINGAPORE, PENANG & LOVAT	FRIDAY	July 31, at 2 p.m.
CALCUTTA		
MANILA	LOONGSANG	SATURDAY, Aug. 1, at 2 p.m.
SHANGHAI & TSINGTAU	ESANG	SUNDAY, Aug. 2, Daylight.
TIENSIN via SWATOW		
WEIHAIWEI & CHEFOO	CHIPSING	SUNDAY, Aug. 2, Daylight.
MANILA	YUENSANG	SATURDAY, Aug. 8, at 2 p.m.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & MOJI	YATSEING	WEDNESDAY, Aug. 12, at Noon.
YOKOHAMA, KOBE & MOJI	NAMSING	SATURDAY, Aug. 15, Daylight.

## RETURN TOURS TO JAPAN.

THE steamers Kiang, Namsing & Loong leave about every 3 weeks for Shanghai and Japan returning via Kobe (Inland Sea) and Moji to Hongkong. Time coupled 30 days. This service is supplemented by the Fookang, Yuenang, Loong, and Kwang leaving Hongkong at regular intervals for Yokohama, Kobe & Moji and returning direct to Hongkong. Time coupled 18 days.

These vessels have all modern improvements and are fitted throughout with Electric Light.

A duly qualified Surgeon is also carried.

Steamers have superior accommodation for First-Class Passengers and are fitted throughout with Electric Light.

Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to Yangtze Ports, Chefoo, Tientsin, Dairen, Weihaiwei & Tsingtau.

Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to Koda, Lahad Datu, Singapore, Tawau, Umkan, Jesselton and Labuan.

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JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,  
General Managers.

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## BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

## NEW SERVICE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN

YOKOHAMA, KOBE, HONGKONG & RANGOON.

Steamers are despatched EASTWARD and WESTWARD at regular intervals taking Passengers and Cargo at Current Rates.

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JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,  
Agents.

Telephone No. 215.

## THE ROYAL MAIL STEAM PACKET COMPANY

## PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

## 'SHIRE' LINE SERVICE—HOMEWARD.

For	Steamers	Date of Departure
LONDON & ANTWERP	"CARNARYNSHIRE"	About 31st August.

## TRANS-PACIFIC 'SHIRE' AND 'GLEN' JOINT SERVICE.

VICTORIA, VANCOUVER, SEATTLE, TACOMA & PORTLAND	"DEN OF AIRLIE"	About 10th August.
VICTORIA, VANCOUVER, SEATTLE, TACOMA & PORTLAND	"MERIONETHSHIRE"	About 8th September.
VICTORIA, VANCOUVER, SEATTLE, TACOMA & PORTLAND	"CARDIGANSHIRE"	About 30th September.

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## BRITISH INDIA S. N. CO., LTD.

## APCAR LINE

REGULAR SERVICE BETWEEN  
CALCUTTA, STRAITS, HONGKONG, SHANGHAI AND JAPAN PORTS.

## EASTWARD.

S.S. DUNERA, 5,389 tons, Capt. E. G. M. Dickinson, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA, KOBE and MOJI on 31st July.

S.S. JAPAN, 6,013 tons, Capt. C. F. Seddon, will be despatched for KOBE and MOJI on 8th August.

## WESTWARD.

S.S. TORILLA, 5,205 tons, Capt. Swanson, R.N., will be despatched for SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA on 30th July.

S.S. DILWARA, 5,378 tons, Capt. Ramo, R.N., will be despatched as above on 7th August.

The above Steamers have excellent saloon accommodation for passengers and are fitted with all modern conveniences and carry a duly qualified surgeon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DAVID GABOON & CO., LTD.,  
AGENTS.

Telephone No. 215.

## SHIPPING



STEAM FOR  
STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA,  
COLOMBO, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

Through Bills of Lading issued for BATAVIA, PERIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL, AMERICAN AND SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship DEFAH, Capt. W. R. HICKET, carrying His Majesty's Mail will be despatched from this port for BOMBAY, on SATURDAY, the 1st August, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above ports in connection with the Company's Steamship Monopoly from Colombo. Passengers' accommodation in which vessel is secured before departure from Hongkong.

Silk and Valuables, and Tea and Cargo for France, and London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into the mail steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London. Other cargo for London etc., will be conveyed via Bombay and transhipped to the India Mail in London on 12th Sept. 1914.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

For further particulars, apply to  
E. A. HEWITT,  
Superintendent.

Hongkong, July 13, 1914.

## THE AMERICAN &amp; ORIENTAL LINE.

For BOSTON AND NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

(With liberty to call at the Malabar Coast.)

ROYAL PRINCE, Captain COUL, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 6th August.

For Freight and passage, apply  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & CO.,  
General Agents.

Hongkong, July 8, 1914.

## THE British Steamship "UNANG"

4,800 Tons.

Captain PICKERELL will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 6th August.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BRADLEY & CO., LTD.

Hongkong, July 27, 1914.

## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship FRINZ WALDEMAR, having arrived, Consignees of cargo and heavy luggage, and their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Opium, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous godowns of the Hongkong and Shanghai Steamship Company, Limited, and are not to be received until the 10th of August, 1914, and are not to be received until the 10th of August, 1914, and are not to be received until the 10th of August, 1914.

Opium Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before noon to-day requesting it to be landed here.

No claims will be admitted after the 10th of July, and no claims will be admitted after the 10th of July, and no claims will be admitted after the 10th of July







